FISCAL NOTE

SB 478 - HB 499

March 24, 1997

SUMMARY OF BILL: Gives petitioner in Board of Regents tenure case the right to a jury to determine all factual issues.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$40,000

Assumes there will be at least two tenure cases each year which will go to a jury. Also assumes a cost of approximately \$20,000 per case due to the necessity to increase attorney staffing or cost of outside attorney, preparation time, and other fees (depositions, expert witness, etc.).

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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